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ANALOGS

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**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF
MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35
U.S.C. 371 - SEQUENCE LISTING
REQUIREMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371
dated April 2, 2007, please enter the following remarks:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS

In conjunction with the request to furnish an oath or declaration of the inventors in the above referenced application as required under 35 U.S.C. 371, Applicant was also instructed in the Notification of Missing Requirements to furnish a sequence listing in paper copy and computer readable form. However, a review of the Specification by Attorney for Applicant indicated that no sequences or references to nucleic acids or proteins requiring a sequence listing disclosure could be found in this application.

Attorney for Applicant telephoned Officer Barbara Campbell of the US PTO PCT Operations division on October 18, 2007 regarding this apparent discrepancy. Officer Campbell confirmed that if no sequences were present in the specification, a response to the Notification of Missing Requirements noting this fact would be sufficient.

Thus, in view of the above, Attorney for Applicant submits that no sequence listing is required in this case.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 858-350-6100.

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